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Highlights: Apples in cold storage reported by cold storage warehouses for Pennsylvania totaled 3,680,000 bushels on February 28, 2005, compared to 3,925,000 bushels on February 28, 2004. The three varieties with the largest fresh market and processing reported stocks in bushels were: Rome with 944,000; Golden Delicious with 823,000; and York with 807,000 bushels.

Total apple stocks in Pennsylvania totaled 154,552,000 pounds on February 28, 2005, compared to 164,877,000 pounds on February 29, 2004. There were no pears in storage in Pennsylvania on February 28, 2005.

Pennsylvania Apples In Cold Storage, February 2005

Variety	February 29, 2004					February 28, 2005				
	Fresh Market ¹		Processing		Total	Fresh Market ¹		Processing		Total
	Reg.	C.A.	Reg.	C.A.		Reg.	C.A.	Reg.	C.A.	
					<i>1,000 Bushels</i>					
York	1	14	423	542	980	1	1	180	625	807
Stayman	9	3	20	13	45	13	4	40	0	57
Rome	10	46	239	308	603	10	60	520	354	944
Red Delicious	35	268	49	106	458	30	215	70	59	374
Golden Delicious	8	81	640	594	1,323	10	103	350	360	823
Gala	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	6	1	5	12
McIntosh	3	3	11	0	17	2	3	1	11	17
Fuji	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	70	21	51	4	146
Other ²	29	71	278	121	499	25	75	200	200	500
Total	95	486	1,660	1,684	3,925	161	488	1,413	1,618	3,680

¹ Includes total quantities on hand; graded and ungraded, packed or loose on the last day of the month specified. ² Includes miscellaneous varieties and some quantities of above varieties not identified.

Apple & Pear Stocks In Cold Storage, Pennsylvania & United States, February 28, 2005

Commodity	All Warehouse Stocks		
	February 29, 2004	January 31, 2005	February 28, 2005
Pennsylvania	<i>1,000 Lbs.</i>		
Apples:			
Regular Storage	73,760	116,382	66,100
Controlled Atmosphere	91,117	97,818	88,452
TOTAL APPLES	164,877	214,200	154,552
Pears:			
Bartletts	0	0	0
Other Varieties	266	0	0
TOTAL PEARS	266	0	0
United States			
Apples:			
Regular Storage	312,963	547,180	316,524
Controlled Atmosphere	2,533,968	3,829,865	3,336,128
TOTAL APPLES	2,846,931	4,377,045	3,652,652
Pears:			
Bartletts	3,404	286	273
Other Varieties	186,158	209,994	148,642
TOTAL PEARS	189,562	210,280	148,915

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